

Vital Records

When a document is presented for registration that consists of multiple instruments, the fee will be ten dollars (\$10.00) for each additional instrument. A document consists of multiple instruments when it contains two or more instruments with different legal consequences or intent, each of which is separately executed and acknowledged and could be recorded alone.

Checks should be made payable to: Alleghany County Register of Deeds.

The following types of records are maintained by the Alleghany County Register of Deeds office:

Marriage records: 1859 through current posted. **Birth and Death records:** 1913 through current posted.

The only persons by law that may request a **certified copy** of a vital record are:

- Yourself
- Your spouse
- Your mother/father
- Your brother/sister
- Your child/grandchildren
- Your grandmother/grandfather
- A person seeking information for legal determination of personal or property rights (proof required)
 - An authorized agent, attorney, or legal representative of the person named on the vital record

Note: Uncertified copies are available to the public.

To obtain a certified copy of a record, download and complete the [Copy of Vital Record](#) form.

Certified copies: \$10.00 each

Send check or money order to the following address:

Lizabeth Reeves Roupe
REGISTER OF DEEDS
ALLEGHANY COUNTY
P.O. Box 186
Sparta, North Carolina 28675

Self-addressed, stamped envelopes are appreciated.

For further information, call 336-372-4342.